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Washington 25, D. C.

8 March 1948

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Foreign Broadcast Information Service
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Kekaha, Kauai, T. H.

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Dear [redacted],

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This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of 28 February 1948. I am sorry to note that you are still having communications difficulties, but very much pleased that at least there are indications that the Signal Service Center at Fort Shafter is doing everything reasonable to repair these breaks with the least possible delay. I do hope that my discussions with the local staff in Honolulu will bring some results. I tried to be as forceful as possible without offending anybody, but of course one never knows whether he has been completely successful or not. The service could hardly be much worse than it has been during the months of December, January and February.

I have written Colonel Miller a letter since my return in which I mention the possibility of taking [redacted] on our payroll. In view of his recruiting difficulties, I doubt very much if this will be a welcome suggestion, but at least it has been made.

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I am very much interested in these communications breakdowns and I hope that you will continue to keep accurate records on them, and, if it is not asking too much, as long as the outages remain serious, I would suggest that you include this in your Monthly Progress Report to Washington.

Sincerely,

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